

W. L. Smith

REPORT

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AUDITORS' REPORT

We, the Auditors of the Town of Enfield, for the year ending February 28, 1873, having examined the accounts of the Treasurer and Overseer of the Poor, find them correctly cast, and properly vouched for, and submit the following report.

MARK PURMORT, }
C. G. MORGAN. } AUDITORS.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Wyman Pattee, Treasurer, charges himself as follows:

Cash on hand as per Report of 1872,		\$8680 17
Received of the Town of Lebanon school house tax,		10 50
" J. H. Morse, on Tax Bill of 1871,		2717 32
" " " Int. " " " "		14 50
" State of N H bal. of Quota Bonds,		75 00
" Smith-Marston on Tax Bill of 1869,		98 09
" " " " " 1870,		507 48
" Dennis Sullivan note,		35 69
" Int. on State Bonds,		801 00
" Selectmen on notes,		6451 56
" State Bonds sold,		2734 50
" Int. on Ed. Eaton note,		45 67
" County order,		195 44
" Savings Bank Tax,		775 19
" R. R. Tax,		2002 17
" Literary fund,		139 30
" Insurance Tax,		7 50
" Canaan School Tax,		10 00
" Rent of Engine House,		24 00
" School House Tax from Canaan,		6 73
" C. Houston for Felting Paper,		25 14
" A. C. Fifield on Tax Bill of 1868,		125 14
" A. C. Lovejoy, " 1873,		8824 12
" J. G. Spencer Liquor Agent,		69 64
" Int. on Daily Balances,		191 79
		22624 50

WYMAN PATTIE AS TOWN TREASURER.

Charges the Town with cash Paid out as follows :

Paid State Tax,	\$1467 00
" County "	2341 53

SCHOOL MONEY AS FOLLOWS:

Dist. No. 1	S. C. Hayford,	\$547 70	
" 2	H. D. Heath,	122 90	
" 3	E. R. Dustin,	87 50	
" 4	Carlos Leach,	138 02	
" 6	D. C. Avery,	133 87	
" 7	Hial. Follansbee,	108 05	
" 9	L. W. Currier,	169 23	
" 10	J. A. Little,	119 38	
" 11	A. C. Fifield,	234 20	
" 12	I. S. Ring,	122 83	
" 13	John Bradford,	244 34	
" 14	S. E. Follansbee,	121 14	
" 15	John N. Stevens,	124 37	
" 16	A. P. Howe,	65 72	
" 17	Lewis Colby,	125 39	
" 18	Wm Wilson,	101 46	
			2566 10
Overseer of the Poor,			\$896 50

REPAIRING HIGHWAYS.

T. E. Fernald,	5 00	S. E. Follansbee,	13 17
Lorenzo Currier,	17 26	W. H. Choat,	8 11
Hial. Follansbee,	13 95	L. H. Talbott,	8 00
" "	4 00	James Flanders,	1 65
T. E. Fernald,	10 50	Nat. Purmort,	1 00
W. C. Atwill,	6 00	Timothy Manchester,	1 80
L. H. Talbott,	13 75	Hiram Gage,	3 75
Orson Day,	153 81	Lorenzo Currier,	3 30
S. E. Follansbee,	29 89	B. W. Clough,	3 81
Orson Day,	66 00	Wm. Wilson 1871,	25 57
D. G. Dustin,	40 63	" " 1872,	137 51
T. E. Fernald, Plank &		H. Cummings 1871-1872,	38 02
Work,	13 70	Russel Goss,	9 50

Orson Day,	44 25	T. Manchester,	9 87
D. W. Hadley,	5 00		
S. Marston,	21 37		714 92
Silas Rollins,	4 75		

Breaking roads—		Lorenzo Currier,	39 22
D. Goodrich,	\$15 54	D. Goodrich,	23 69
Lewis Laplant,	1 50	M. P. Burnham,	75
T. B. Morgan,	2 50	Timothy Manchester,	23 10
John Dresser,	11 00	John M. Cole,	6 90
A. P. Howe,	14 25	L. H. Talbot,	5 00
Luther Howe in 1870	2 40	W. H. Choat,	27 30
I. S. Babbitt,	3 50	E. F. Foster,	22 17
C. S. Worthen,	48 03	J. T. Wentworth,	15 30
E. F. Foster,	26 50	Thomas White 1872,	5 50
T. E. Fernald,	8 20	" "	11 00
Charles Horton,	8 50	Joseph Fogg,	12 05
M. T. Purmort,	21 00	D. G. Dustin,	43 31
T. Manchester,	23 04	Edward Eaton,	36 95
D. Goodrich,	27 36	H. D. Heath,	10 53
Alsted Bronwell,	13 70	H. Cummings,	2 68
Lewis T. Colby,	5 40	Wm. Wilson,	27 00
Henry White,	24 20		
Hiram Gage,	25 35		\$625 01
James Flanders,	30 59		

WATERING TROUGHS.

Hilliard Church,	\$2 00
H. Spaulding,	2 00
E. B. Huse 3 years,	6 00
Wm. Wilson,	2 00
Philip Church,	2 00
A. C. Fifield,	2 00
Henry Cummings 2 years,	4 00
Calvin Gage,	2 00
	22 00

DAMAGES ON ROAD.

Samuel Gage Damage on Wagon,	\$2 00
C. S. Worthen " "	1 50
Thos. Manchester, " "	4 00

J. W. Wallace	10 00
J. F. Perley, Services settling damages,	1 00
Nat Purmort, damage to wagon,	2 00
F. B. Morse,	4 00
J. F. Perley,	5 00
J. B. Valentine,	10 00
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	\$39 50

REPAIRING OF BRIDGES.

E. G. Cate,	\$ 1 10
Rufus Webster work,	24 00
Edward Powers	19 00
C. G. Morgan nails,	6 09
W. D. Fleming bolts,	6 63
H. F. Wells Lumber,	85 65
Cummings & Webster work,	50 00
E. B. Shattuck Lumber,	50
D. M. Cummings, Labor & Lumber,	28 78
N. E. Huntoon,	25 50
J. B. Thomas,	2 50
J. F. Towle,	11 00
E. O. Williams Lumber,	75 00
T. C. Burnham,	23 00
J. C. Currier,	3 02
A. A. Cox, Lumber,	1 80
S. E. Follansbee, Plank,	4 08
F. H. Wells, "	16 71
J. C. Currier, Lumber & Labor,	2 00
E. B. Huse, "	9 25
J. M. Cole, "	7 20
L. T. Colby "	5 60
G. W. Currier " & Work,	15 34
ara Copeland, "	2 37
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	\$436 12

MISCELLANEOUS.

Smith Marston, Wood for Town House,	\$4 00
" " " Cleaning Town House,	2 00
Harry Huse, Damage on Sheep by Dogs,	5 00

T. Goodhue,	"	"	"	5.00
Morrill & Silsby, for books,	"	"	"	5.90
James. A. Little, Damages on Sheep by Dogs,	"	"	"	5.00
Orrin Morgan,	"	"	"	6.50
P. H. Whitcomb printing Town Reports,	"	"	"	36.00
S. R. Godfrey, for 3 chairs,	"	"	"	75
E. R. Dustin, Damage to Sheep by Dogs,	"	"	"	6.00
Val. Manahan, Births & deaths,	"	"	"	10.25
Aaron Choat, Damage on Sheep by Dogs,	"	"	"	6.00
T. B. Bancroft, Support of T. B. Whitmore,	"	"	"	230.90
J. E. Gile, School House Tax,	"	"	"	18.75
T. R. Clement, Record of Births & Deaths,	"	"	"	5.25
T. B. Fernald, School House tax,	"	"	"	35.00
A. P. Plumer,	"	"	"	300.00
A. A. Cox, Wood,	"	"	"	11.60
A. A. Cox, Rent of office,	"	"	"	15.00
J. J. Follansbee Land Damage	"	"	"	8.00
Samuel Noyes, School House Tax,	"	"	"	2.50
Babbitt & Purmort School Books, Heath Family,	"	"	"	1.70
N. S. Wheeler, Guide Board, 1871,	"	"	"	11.00

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01 538

03 812

70 821

83 131

NOTES & INTEREST PAID.

Ann E. Stevens, Note & Int.	\$156.04
T. H. Jones, " "	43.26
T. H. Jones, " "	72.51
James Bucklin, " "	62.60
Mary F. Smith, " "	610.88
J. S. Morrison, " "	224.72
M. A. Conant, Endorsed on note,	40.00
John Dresser, note & Int.	406.1
" " " "	424.70
Sally Clark, " "	1212.68
" " " "	1460.66
R. S. Howe, " "	1105.40
Abijah Emerson, Endorsed on note,	190.84
Lizzie Webster, " "	50.00
Hulda Currier, note & Int.	371.02
" " " "	395.39
Henry Shepard; " "	1234.59
E. J. Howe, " "	70.64

Nat Howe,	"	"	527	25
Benj. Blake,	"	"	959	12
Mary Emerson, Endorsed on note,	"	"	205	00
Aadline Woodbury,	"	"	100	00
S. R. Fleming, note & Int.	"	"	25	38
James Currier,	"	"	29	05
"	"	"	286	65
J. B. Marston,	"	"	313	30
Eunice W. Dresser, Endorsed,	"	"	9	64
A. Bucklin, note & Int.	"	"	115	35
James Currier,"	"	"	520	41
Dolly Green, "	"	"	173	26
A. J. Denison,"	"	"	166	47
Sarah Cogswell, Endorsed on note,	"	"	21	00
M. E. George,	"	"	88	31
C. H. Jones,	"	"	83	63
B. F. Leach,	"	"	490	51
Dolly Green,	"	"	350	82
Rachel Codman, Endorsed,	"	"	80	00
Horace Atwell,	"	"	50	00
Mary A. Conant,	"	"	35	00
Edna Morgan, Note & Int.	"	"	357	40
G. W. Currier,	"	"	246	69
Alamando Bucklin,"	"	"	128	07
B. F. Leach,	"	"	454	63
"	"	"	152	33
B. C. Leach,	"	"	271	37
Adaline Woodbury,"	"	"	566	30
B. F. Leach,	"	"	536	70
Mary E. Leach,	"	"	64	95
Administrator A. Conant Estate,	"	"	440	69
Geo. M. Scates, Endorsed on note,	"	"	114	60
Louis Skinner, note & Int.	"	"	248	30
Wm. Gage, Int. on note,	"	"	25	00
Mary Emerson"	"	"	141	03
Elsina Copeland, note & Int.	"	"	607	93

\$17,630 18

SERVICES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

J. F. Bryant, Auditor,	\$4	00
M. Purmort,	4	00

S. C. Hayford, Supt. School Committee,	75 00
N. E. Huntoon, Selectman,	100 00
J. Dresser, "	60 00
A. P. Howe, "	65 00
W. Pattee, Treasurer,	20 00
J. F. Bryant, Town Clerk,	25 00
A. C. Lovejoy, Collector,	125 00
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	\$478 00

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Lewis Bennett over tax,	\$14 25
M. P. Burnham,	44
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	\$14 69

RECAPITULATION.

Whole amount received,	\$32,624 50
Paid out,	
State Tax,	\$1467 00
County Tax,	2341 53
School Money,	2566 10
Overseer of the Poor,	896 50
Repairs of Bridges,	436 12
Breaking Roads,	625 01
Repairing Highways,	714 92
Damages on Roads,	39 50
Water Troughs,	22 00
Miscellaneous,	721 50
Town Officers Services,	478 00
Abatement of Taxes,	14 69
Notes and Int.	17630 18
Cash in Treasurers hands,	4617 45
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	\$32624 50

OVERSEER'S REPORT.

The Overseer of the Poor charges himself as follows :

Cash on hand as per report 1872,	\$36 02
" of Darius Morey,	5 43

" County,	271 18
" Town Treasurer,	896 50
00 08	
00 28	
00 08	
	\$1209 13

THE OVERSEER DISCHARGES HIMSELF AS FOLLOWS:

Paid for support of Town Paupers—

Mrs. David Heath,	\$137 50	
" Mary P. Roberts,	20 00	
" Clarence Colby,	15 44	
" Noah Kidder,	83 00	
" Hannah Barnard,	85 08	
" Elisha F. Kidder,	23 00	
" Matilda Morey,	154 19	
" Lucinda Moody,	116 00	
" J. H. Pettingill,	53 65	667 86

PAID OUT FOR COUNTY POOR AND SETTLED FOR,

Mrs. J. B. Thomas,	\$71 67	
" Sarah J. Bennett,	111 65	
" Daniel Flanders,	15 50	
" Transient,	16 00	
		\$214 82

PAID FOR COUNTY POOR AND NOW DUE FROM THE COUNTY.

W. P. Sanborn & Family,	\$137 82	
Daniel Flanders,	28 18	
Elisha F. Kidder,	21 00	
Transient,	39 05	226 05
Overseers Services & Expenses,	40 00	60 65
Expenses to Haverhill,	20 65	39 75

Cash on hand, \$39 45 \$1209 13

LIQUOR AGENT'S REPORT.

J. G. Spencer reports as Liquor Agent.

To Feb 21, 1873.

Liquors on hand Feb. 21, 1872,	\$224 68
Bought since last report,	474 46
Agents salary,	75 00
Cash paid Selectmen,	69 64
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	\$843 78

CONTRA.

Cash received for sales,	\$654 55
Liquors & Fixtures on hand,	189 23
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	\$843 78

ITEMS.

In addition to the liabilities is the Wm. Gage fund of \$2500 00 on which the Town is paying 9 per. cent semi-annual interest and exempt from taxation.

A note to Mary Emerson has been paid not reported since 1867 amounting to 141 03.

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Notes Reported last year with Interest added.

Julia Withington,	\$75 16	A. V. Huntoon,	130 33
E. W. Gove,	247 02	Horace Atwell,	306 80
Eben Gile	354 75	J. F. Jones,	357 30
Thomas Webster,	117 36	George Cole,	605 81
Mary A. Seabring,	187 64	Mariah P. Pattee,	175 67
Mary A. Conant,	613 72	Henry Morse,	112 36
L. D. Currier,	119 10	Rebecca B. Noyes,	56 18
Emma F. Clough,	59 55	A. A. Johnson,	1,123 60
George Seaver,	59 55	Lydia Nichols,	1,011 24
George M. Scates,	600 00	Mason Burnham,	79 31
B. C. Leach,	506 85	A. Bucklin,	56 18
Emma E. Rowe,	178 65	Hattie S. Pettingill,	106 00
Lewis Cogswell,	841 51	Miriam Currier,	73 93
Elsie J. Webster,	112 36	A. L. Hartshorn,	251 75
Angeline B. Spencer,	56 18	F. H. Stevens,	56 18
Belinda M. Stevens,	123 59	H. F. O. Burnham,	112 36
Henry Morse,	168 54	Mary A. Cilley,	79 52
Choice Bucklin,	240 00	Miriam Currier,	81 33
Clementine Beardesley,	464 16	A. P. H.	2,921 36
Leonard Woodbury,	260 23	Hannah Clough,	112 36
Mary A. Huse,	263 95	Laura Cogswell,	371 74
Betsey A. Barnard,	295 62	John J. Webster,	265 02
Jane R. Bean,	248 50	Lizzie Webster,	145 41
Adeline Cogswell,	189 36	Lydia J. Colby,	212 00
Helen A. Nichols,	378 73	Nancy G. Flanders,	53 00
Celia Atwood,	59 55	Sarah N. H. Andrews,	29 68
Hannah Seaver,	59 55	H. D. Heath,	2,226 00
Lucinda Burnham,	59 55	David Hazelton,	455 80
H. L. Baker,	238 20	Louisa Kidder,	106 00
Emma F. Clough,	29 77	J. Patterson,	1,382 02
B. C. Leach,	515 24	Constant Gile,	337 08
Leonard Woodbury,	333 93	Abi P. Webster,	505 62
Lewis Cogswell,	1001 29	Laurett Washborn,	112 36
A. C. Jones,	591 26	A. V. Huntoon,	112 36
John S. Stevens,	95 59	Louise C. Gorden,	230 33
W. M. Baker,	535 27	Juliett M. Clement,	84 27
Choice Bucklin,	75 84	Sarah E. Gates,	370 78
Watson C. Atwell,	233 54	Lovina Bean,	318 00
Inda L. Gordon,	176 27	Horace Atwell,	224 72

G. W. Seaver,	59 55	S. P. Cummings,	56 18
Betsey Goodrich,	269 75	W. P. H.	786 52
J. B. Durkee,	1,548 32	A. B. Proctor,	1,113 00
G. W. Currier,	476 40	L. C. Paddleford,	151 63
Laura Currier,	112 36	Calista Hartford,	37 87
L. D. Currier,	112 36	Nancy Burnham,	530 00
W. M. Baker,	224 72	A. D. Burnham,	424 00
Elenor Morse,	56 18	Rachel Codman,	500 00
Philip Huntoon,	526 25	Frank E. Howe,	53 00
Mary Emerson,	1,136 74	H. D. Heath, Admr.	94 50
Eunice Dresser,	100 70	Dorathy Spaulding,	106 00
Mary A. Seabring,	145 96	Eliz F. Waterhouse,	106 00
Emeline Webster,	634 68	V. Manahan, Treas.	53 00
Abijah Emerson,	672 32	C. W. Atwood,	31 80
Mariah P. Pattee,	126 24		
James Bucklin,	126 24		\$36,609 16
Adeline Cogswell,	119 10		

NOTES GIVEN SINCE LAST REPORT.

A. C. Lovejoy Guar.	\$206 67	Sarah P. Howe,	70 64
Henry Shepard,	1,234 59	Mary S. Blake,	959 12
Nath. Howe,	500 00	J. M. Bryant,	200 00
James Currier,	467 00	J. S. Morrison,	500 00
J. S. Morrison,	500 00	Mary A. Conant,	300 00
Wm. W. Currier,	200 00	Mary Emerson,	100 00
James Currier,	480 00		
Silva P. Skinner,	248 30		\$6246 56
Mary Emerson,	280 24		
Whole amount of notes & Interest,			\$42855 72

LIABILITIES & AVAILABILITIES.

LIABILITIES.

Owing on notes given previous to 1872.	\$38609 16
Owing on notes given the past year,	6246 56
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	\$42,855 72

AVAILABILITIES.

Due from U. S. Government,	\$1447 00
“ “ County,	226 05
“ “ County T. R. Clement's bill	48 25
Cash in hands of Overseer of the Poor,	39 75
A. C. Lovejoy, Tax bill 1872.	2664 71
John W Johnson Note,	790 55
Due from A. C. Fifield, Tax Bill of 1868,	23 72
Funds in Liquor Agents hands,	189 23
Engine House,	500 00
Cash in Treasurers hands,	4671 45
State bonds on hand,	\$12000 00
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	\$22600 71

Present Liabilities of the Town, \$20,254 91

Liabilities last year, \$38,978 86

Present Liabilities,	20254 91
Bonds on hand,	12000 00
Bonds Sold & Interest,	3610 50

\$35865 41 \$35865 41

Making reduction of town debt from
last year, \$1,1 2 95

REPORT OF SCHOOLS.

DISTRICT NO 1—ENFIELD.

Higher Department.—Summer term taught by Flora Goodenough. I sincerely regret that I can not give this teacher as good a report as she was capable of attaining, had she only applied herself faithfully to her work. The school would have been more advantageous to the pupils, had the teacher's mind been more in the school room, than upon matters outside. When a lady is hired to teach, she should make that her first business, and not have so many other engagements, that she neglects her school.

Fall and winter terms taught by George I Burleigh. The scholars took a good degree of interest in their studies, and the school made most satisfactory improvement. The attention paid to singing was a great advantage to the pupils. In the various branches of study pursued, the teacher showed that he was well qualified to instruct others. The school-room was very much improved by the introduction of modern desks and chairs, in the place of the old benches. I am happy to say that the scholars during two terms of school have kept them in excellent condition. The school under this teacher was a success; and

An exhibition held at the close was very successful. The speaking by the scholars and all the other exercises were very fine, and reflected honor upon both the school and teacher.

The following were neither tardy nor absent: Cora Nelson, Lizzie Currier, Gracie Stanley, Erving Whittier, Elmer Jones, Jimmie Carr, Frank Withing, Robert Fitzpatrick and Willie Fitzpatrick. The following were absent none and tardy only once: Lizzie Jones, George Hall, Fannie Dodge, May Holt, Helen Carr, Irwen Lewiston.

Primary Department.—Three terms taught by our veteran teacher Belinda M. Stevens with her usual good success. The scholars have improved much, making all the progress that could be expected.

The following were neither tardy nor absent during one term: Chas. Sargent, Mary Hall, May Cooper, Mark Pease, Mabel Moulton,

Rufus Webster, John Cooper, Dora Cross and Harry Drew.

The following were neither tardy nor absent during two terms. John Pattee, Kate Webster, Frank Whittier, Frank Williams, Walter Stanly. The following were neither tardy nor absent during the whole year: James Pattee and John Chandler, (the latter was sick one week, but he lost no time except that week.)

DIST. NO. 2.—SHAKER HILL.

Two terms by Alice E. Day. I was well pleased with the condition of the school. The teacher was devoted to her work, giving her whole time and attention to it. It is with satisfaction that the parents can view the advancement their children have made during the terms this teacher has taught. The following were neither tardy nor absent. Jessie L. Huse, Alice M. Lovejoy, Nellie F. Huse, George W. Brown and Willie D. Lovejoy.

DIST. NO. 3.—JONES HILL.

Summer.—Sarah P. Howe, teacher. The school did finely. The only lack which I noticed was the lack of scholars.

Fall.—Jennie A. Walcott, teacher. This teacher would do well if she had more decision in the management of the school. The school was not what it should have been, because the scholars did about as they chose.

DIST. NO. 4.—EAST VILLAGE.

Summer term taught by Alice Pillsbury. She taught an excellent school. She had energy and good order in the school. Some of the scholars passed an excellent examination.

Winter.—Emma Harris teacher. This school began with a very few scholars, but they increased in number, and had a very interest-school. The teacher was alive and earnest in her work. The scholars made considerable advancement, some of them ranking quite high in their studies. Some improvement was also made in the reading classes.

DIST. NO. 6.—EAST HILL.

Summer and fall terms taught by Clara M. Jones. This was the teacher's first school. She did finely. She had good order and the pupils all learned well.

The following were neither tardy nor absent during the summer term: Cora F. Dresser, Isadore L. Foster, Irvin C. Avery, George W. Dresser, George B. White and Wilson D. White. Fall term, Irvin C. Avery and Frank C. Burnham.

Winter —Taught by George F. Pettengill. This teacher met

with his usual good success. His constant care and earnestness for the good of his scholars could not fail of securing their advancement. Not being able to witness the closing exercises I cannot say as much of the school as I otherwise could.

DIST. NO. 7.—OAK HILL.

Summer.—Sarah M. Winship. This teacher did well. Her school was orderly and made fair improvement in their studies. The teacher was kind, attentive and thorough in her teaching.

Fall and Winter term was taught by Evelyn M. Jones with her usual good success. She is deserving of much praise for the faithful manner in which her school was conducted and the very good examination which it passed at the close.

DIST. NO. 9.—CAMBRIDGEVILLE.

Summer term taught by Antoinette L. Bartlett. It is impossible for me, in the short space which I allow myself for a report, to give any thing of an adequate thought of what this school accomplished under this teacher. The pupils were thoroughly instructed in the various branches of study which they pursued; and they will rank as high as any in town. The school was in every respect a decided success.

Maggie P. Whipple commenced a Fall term but on account of ill health was compelled to give up. The school at the time I visited it was doing well.

Winter term taught by Ella McDaniel. The school is still in session. They are having a first class school. Bright, active, and full of intelligent interest are the faces of the scholars. Good order and studious application characterize the school. The teacher is deserving of much credit for the successful term of school she has taught. The scholars will need rest when the school is done. Let them have plenty of out door air, exercise and sunshine to recuperate their physical energies.

DIST. NO. 10.—GEORGE HILL.

Summer.—Ella R. Gage teacher. The school was a good one. The teacher with her usual fidelity, made the school every way beneficial to those attending.

Winter.—Charles W. McDaniel, teacher. The district were very fortunate in securing the services of so experienced and able a teacher. The order and general tone of the school were every way excellent. The closing exercises were very interesting.

DIST. NO. 11.—ENFIELD CENTRE.

Summer term, Angie E. Hadley, teacher. She taught a very

good school and the pupils made very fair improvement.

Fall.—N. P. Sargent. He taught a most excellent school. The scholars learned more under this teacher than under any they have had for a long time. He puts his whole soul into the work, and makes the scholars all feel awake and interested in study. The method of teaching Geography by class exercises upon Wall Maps is excellent.

Winter. Hattie E. Mahan. Sickness and absence from other causes interfered with the prosperity of the school. The teacher was well qualified, and with more energy more would have been accomplished.

DIST. NO. 12.—NORTH END.

Summer, Mary E. Whitcomb. This was her first experience in teaching. She was diligent in her school and considering the ages of the scholars all was accomplished that could have been expected.

Winter—Ella R. Gage. I was not present at the close of the school. The roads being impassable with a team, I started on foot, but, not being expert at wading deep water in winter, I gave up the attempt. But from what I saw at the commencement of the school and knowing the teachers former success in this district I can safely call her school a good one.

DIST. NO. 13.—CHURCH FAMILY SHAKERS.

Summer term taught by Mary E. Elkins assisted by Julia Ann Russel. The school was well conducted. Miss Elkins has good qualifications. She is energetic and loves the children which is a good thing in a teacher. I think she should be encouraged in teaching.

Winter—James Russel. The school is still in session. I have not made my final visit. On my first visit the school was doing well.

DIST. NO. 14.—

Summer term taught by Jennie A. Walcot. This being her first term, allowance should be made for her inexperience. She tried to do well, but was too easy with her scholars.

Fall and Winter, Eva M. Gage. This teacher had a very good school. Good order, thoroughness and commendable interest were shown in the school.

DIST. NO. 15.—WEST ENFIELD.

Summer—Matilda E. Mahan, who taught a very good term of school.

Fall—Sarah Gile taught a fine school. By experience, good

judgement and energy she possesses the qualifications of a first class teacher.

Winter—N. P. Sargent, teacher. It is a pleasure to enter a school such as this teacher taught. There was such a lively interest taken in all the exercises of the school by both teacher and pupils. The recitations passed off in a most commendable manner. The singing was a very desirable feature of the school. I was glad to see so goodly a number of the parents present. Visit your schools and they will be better for it. I can say of this teacher that it is his own deep interest in the scholars that make him so successful.

DIST. NO 17.—FISH MARKET.

Three terms taught by Mary K. Dresser. The school was a very successful one during the whole of the year. The teacher having three terms in succession was enabled to promote the advancement of the scholars to a greater degree than where a change is made every term. She is deserving of praise for the efficient manner in which she conducted the school.

DIST. NO. 18.—SOUTH FAMILY SHAKERS.

Sally Ann Tucker. This teacher, with her usual ability, successfully taught the Summer and Winter terms. The school was small and the scholars young, but they made all the improvement that could be reasonably asked. I think the Shaker schools would be more advantageous were the boys and girls permitted to attend together.

Respectfully Submitted,

S. C. HAYFORD, S. S. Com.

SCHEDULE OF SCHOOLS.

No. of District.	TERMS OF SCHOOL.										
		Wages including board.	Whole number of scholars.	Average attendance.	Length of school in weeks.	No. of visits by S. S. Com.	No. of visits by Prud. Com.	No. of visits by citizens.			
1	Summer, higher department,	31	30	27	10	2	2	13			
	Fall, " " - - - - -	35	33	29	10	4	4	40			
	Winter, " " - - - - -	40	38	35	10	2	2				
	Summer, primary, - - - - -	25	41	38	10	2	2	23			
	Fall, " " - - - - -	30	39	36	10	2	2	27			
	Winter, " " - - - - -	30	39	36	10	2	2	29			
2	Summer, " " - - - - -	22	11	10	12	2	0	14			
	Winter, " " - - - - -	26	16	13	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	2	0	8			
3	Summer, - - - - -	21	4	4	9	2	1	6			
	Winter, - - - - -	—	4	4	8	2	1	4			
4	Summer, - - - - -	14	12	8	12	2	0	11			
	Winter, - - - - -	—	15	13	11	2	0	25			
6	Summer, - - - - -	18	10	9	10	2	—	13			
	Fall, - - - - -	20	13	11	9	2	—	5			
	Winter, - - - - -	24	11	10	11	1	—	10			
7	Summer, - - - - -	16	10	8	9	2	—				
	Winter, - - - - -	24	14	—	11	2	—	5			
9	Summer, - - - - -	28	26	22	10	2	—	18			
	Fall, - - - - -	24	29	25	4	1	—	8			
	Winter, - - - - -	28	24	22	12	2	—	15			
10	Summer, - - - - -	12	7	6	11	2	2	26			
	Winter, - - - - -	30	13	12	13	2	1	35			
11	Summer, - - - - -	32	25	18	10	1	—	12			
	Fall, - - - - -	22	19	14	7	2	—	3			
	Winter, - - - - -	32	18	14	9	2	—	8			
12	Summer, - - - - -	15	9	—	10	2	—	7			
	Winter, - - - - -	24	12	7	11	1	—	4			
13	Summer, - - - - -	—	14	13	16	2	—				
	Winter, - - - - -	—	10	9	17	2	—				
14	Summer, - - - - -	—	11	10	10	2	—	20			
	Fall, - - - - -	—	10	9	10	2	—	14			
	Winter, - - - - -	14	10	8	10	1	—	11			
15	Summer, - - - - -	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	18	9	1	—				
	Fall, - - - - -	30	26	22	10	2	—	8			
	Winter, - - - - -	26	27	25	8	2	1	2 $\frac{1}{2}$			
17	Summer, - - - - -	18	12	11	9	2	—	9			
	Fall, - - - - -	22	14	11	8	1	—	7			
	Winter, - - - - -	23	20	17	12	1	—	6			
18	Summer, { Not closed.										
	Winter, { Register not in my possession.										

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